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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) April 6, 2001 09/827,428-Conf. #6098 Filed Application Number METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS THAT AFFECT MELANOGENESIS A. Soroush Art Unit 1616 Examiner This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Fee Small Entity Fee \$120 \$60 120.00 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$450 \$225 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$510 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 \$1080 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. 98/19/2007 EHAILE1 90000018 98021B 89827428 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. 01 FC:1251 120.00 DA Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 08-0219 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 August 8, 2007 Date Emily R. Whelan (617) 526-6000 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

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